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- 3162.2-10 Will BLM notify me when it determines that drainage is occurring?
- 3162.2-11 How soon after I know of the likelihood of drainage must I take protective action?
- 3162.2-12 If I hold an interest in a lease, for what period will the Department assess compensatory royalty against me?
- 3162.2-13 If I acquire an interest in a lease that is being drained, will the Department assess me for compensatory royalty?
- 3162.2-14 May I appeal BLM's decision to require drainage protective measures?
- 3162.2-15 Who has the burden of proof if I appeal BLM's drainage determination?
- 3162.3 Conduct of operations.
- 3162.3-1 Drilling applications and plans.
- $3162.3\hbox{--}2$  Subsequent well operations.
- 3162.3-3 Other lease operations.
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- 3162.4 Records and reports.
- 3162.4-1 Well records and reports.
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- 3165.1-1 Relief from royalty and rental requirements.
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3165.3 Notice, State Director review and hearing on the record.

3165.4 Appeals.

AUTHORITY: 25 U.S.C. 396d and 2107; 30 U.S.C. 189, 306, 359, and 1751; and 43 U.S.C. 1732(b), 1733 and 1740.

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# Subpart 3160—Onshore Oil and Gas Operations: General

#### §3160.0-1 Purpose.

The regulations in this part govern operations associated with the exploration, development and production of oil and gas deposits from—

- (a) Leases issued or approved by the United States:
  - (b) Restricted Indian land leases; and
- (c) Those leases under the jurisdiction of the Secretary of the Interior by law or administrative arrangement including the National Petroleum Reserve-Alaska (NPR-A). However, provisions relating to suspension and royalty reductions contained in subpart 3165 of this part do not apply to the NPR-A.

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### § 3160.0-2 Policy.

The regulations in this part are administered under the direction of the Director of the Bureau of Land Management; except that as to lands within naval petroleum reserves, they shall be administered under such official as the Secretary of Energy shall designate.

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### § 3160.0-3 Authority.

The Mineral Leasing Act, as amended and supplemented (30 U.S.C. 181 et seq.), the Act of May 21, 1930 (30 U.S.C. 301–306), the Mineral Leasing Act for Acquired Lands, as amended (30 U.S.C. 351–359), the Act of March 3, 1909, as amended (25 U.S.C. 396), the Act of May 11, 1938, as amended (25 U.S.C. 396a–396q), the Act of February 28, 1891, as amended (25 U.S.C. 397), the Act of May 29, 1924 (25 U.S.C. 398), the Act of March 3, 1927 (25 U.S.C. 398a–398e), the Act of June 30, 1919, as amended (25 U.S.C.